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Primary Research Interests:

- Assessment and treatment of urinary incontinence in nursing homes
- Long-term care; Developing internal quality assurance and improvement systems
- Translating research into practice

Primary Research Methodologies:

- Health services research, including economics
- Interventional and behavioral research
- Measurement

Current Aging-related Research Interests:

- Health Services Research
- Clinical Trials
- Quality of Life
- Rehabilitation

Current Research and Training Grants in Aging:

- Principal Investigator. Feeding Assistance in Nursing Homes: Staffing and Outcomes Staffing and Outcomes - UCLA Older American Independence Center. \$1,312,078. National Institutes of Aging (7/1/01 – 6/30/06).

Recent Publications:

- Schnelle JF, Kapur K, Alessi C, Osterweil D, Beck JC, Al-Samarrai NR, Ouslander JG. Does an Exercise and Incontinence Intervention Save Health Care Costs in a Nursing Home Population? J Am Geriatr Soc. 2003;51(2):161-168.
- Schnelle JF, Cadogan MP, Yoshii J, Al-Samarrai NR, Osterweil D, Bates-Jensen BM, Simmons SF. The Minimum Data Set Urinary Incontinence Quality Indicators: Do They Reflect Differences in Care Processes Related to Incontinence? Medical Care 2003;41(8):909-922.
- Simmons SF, Garcia ET, Cadogan MP, Al-Samarrai NR, Levy-Storrs LF, Osterweil D, Schnelle JF. The Minimum Data Set Weight Loss Quality Indicator: Does it Reflect Differences in Care Processes Related to Weight Loss. J Am Geriatr Soc 2003;51(10):1410-1418.